HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 218 By Hargrove

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Legge, Sr. for their accomplishments and to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Legge Insurance Agency.

WHEREAS, it is only fitting that this General Assembly should recognize those outstanding persons whose dedication and hard work have had a significant impact on their communities; and

WHEREAS, Mr. L.W. Legge, Sr. and Mildred Legge are outstanding individuals who are most assuredly deserving of special recognition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Legge exemplify the spirit and dedication characteristic of true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, the Legge family moved from Goodlettsville to Cookeville fifty years ago where the seed of a business was planted which was to eventually grow to become the Legge Insurance Agency; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Legge, ever with his mind on serving his customers and building the infant business, would walk the streets of Cookeville with a representative from Traveler's Insurance selling personal accident insurance policies; and

WHEREAS, fifty years later from these humble beginnings and because of such dedication and commitment and with the support of the Legge family, this fledgling family

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business has grown to employ over 30 full-time employees so that the Legge Insurance Agency is one of the largest independent insurance agencies in the region; and

WHEREAS, following in his father's footsteps, L.W. Legge, Jr., began working for his father on the day he graduated from college twenty-four years ago, and has been a valuable asset to the company and a driving force in its growth, since then; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the Cookeville office the Legge Insurance Agency has offices in Crossville and Chattanooga and is planning to expand in the Nashville and Knoxville markets; and

WHEREAS, because of the profound success the Legge Insurance Agency has enjoyed, L.W. Legge, Sr. also plans to operate in European insurance markets as well; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly pause in its deliberation to honor these outstanding Tennesseans; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and commend Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Legge, Sr. for their many contributions to the good people of Cookeville, Putnam County and to the state of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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